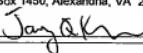


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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)**

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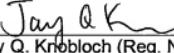
Applicant(s) requests continued examination of the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

- Submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (*check at least one of the following*):
- Previously submitted:
- Applicant(s) requests nonentry of any previously-filed unentered amendments.
- Please enter and consider the Amendment After Final Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_.
- Attached is/are:
- An Information Disclosure Statement
- An Amendment to the written description, claims, or drawings

- New Arguments and/or New Evidence in support of Patentability  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Request for suspension of action:  
Applicant(s) hereby requests suspension of action on the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; requires Processing Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i)).
- Small Entity Status:  
 Applicant(s) hereby asserts entitlement to claim small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.  
 A small entity statement or assertion of entitlement to claim small entity status was filed in prior application no. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ and such status is still proper and desired.  
 Is no longer desired.
- Applicant(s) calculate the following fees to be due in connection with this Request:  
 A request fee of \$810.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e).  
 A suspension processing fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i).  
 An additional filing fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 (\_\_\_\_\_ additional independent claims and/or \_\_\_\_\_ additional total claims).  
 An extension fee of \$490.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) for a 1-month extension of time.
- Fee payment to cover the above-enumerated fee(s):  
 Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$1300.00.  
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 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE).

Respectfully submitted,

November 13, 2008  
Date

  
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